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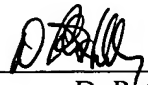
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On June 16, 2005, our client advised us that by virtue of a business arrangement with K2 Inc. effective July, 2004, the assignee of the present application, Marker Deutschland GmbH, is no longer entitled to small entity status for this case. Further, our client confirmed that the original establishment of the small entity claim was accurate at the time and made in good faith. A review of our file indicates that no back fees are required.

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Respectfully submitted,

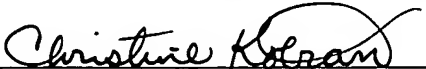
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